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YIKES.

WHERE IT MAY DIE,
AT THE HANDS OF
THE WORLD PARTY.

HER NAME
IS RIKKI
BARNES.

I KNEW
IT.

AS LONG AS SHE
CAN REMEMBER,
SHE'S BEEN
DANCING THROUGH
LIFE.

AND ALL OF
A SUDDEN...

...THE MUSIC
HAS STOPPED.

I KNEW
IT.

**I KNEW
IT.**

**I KNEW
IT.**

GUYS.
THEY
TOOK OUT
CAPTAIN
AMERICA.
GOT HIM
LOCKED DOWN
ON ONE OF THE
LOWER
FLOORS.

Utp.

I KNEW THAT
IF MY IDIOT
BROTHER THOUGHT
SOMETHING WAS
A GOOD IDEA...

...IT COULD
ONLY WIND
UP BEING A
BAD IDEA.

SO, WHEN HE GOES OFF TO JOIN THIS "WORLD PARTY" AND CHANGE THE WORLD --

-- OF COURSE,
THEY TURN OUT
TO BE SOME KIND
OF NEO-NAZI
FREAKS --

... WHO'VE
GOT CAPTAIN
AMERICA TIED
UP IN THE
BASMENT.

CAPTAIN
AMERICA.
RIGHT.

I
THOUGHT
HE WAS,
LIKE --

-- DEAD.

WELL.
WELL.
WELL.

FIRE

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J-JOHN?

LOOK WHO FELL IN THE WELL.



LEMME GUESS, SIS.

YOU'VE THOUGHT IT OVER AND YOU WANT TO JOIN THE WORLD PARTY.

JOHN, LISTEN TO ME. I CAME HERE TO GET YOU OUTTA HERE.

THE WORLD PARTY IS A BUNCH OF NAZIS --
-- AND THEY'VE ALREADY CAPTURED CAPTAIN AMERICA --
-- AND THEY DON'T WANT TO CHANGE THE WORLD --

THEY WANT TO TAKE OVER THE WORLD!

AND...

...YOUR POINT IS?



JOHN.
IT'S ME.

RIKKI.
YOUR SISTER.
YOUR ONLY SISTER.

WHAT'RE YOU GONNA DO, SHOOT ME?

IF I HAVE TOO.

I DON'T THINK SO!

WHAK

GUS!
GET HER!

GREAT.
GREAT.
JUST GREAT.

DIDN'T COUNT ON JOHN BEING, LIKE, HYPNOTIZED.

ONE SIDE.
ONE SIDE.
LET A RABBIT THROUGH.

OKAY,
I NEED A NEW PLAN.

I'M JETTIN' AND CALLIN' THE --

-- COPS.

BONK



Uh-oh.

WAS IS
DAS?

WHO --
WHAT
ARE YOU
SUPPOSED
TO BE?

IF
THE
LIVING
EMBODIMENT OF
THE AMERICAN
NIGHTMARE.
**THE
RED
SKULL.**

THE
RED
SKUNK?

...
WE ARE
NOT
AMUSED.



★ SEVERAL FLOORS
BELOW.

THERE IS
HOPE.

NNGGNN



LIEU --
LIEUTENANT
WILSON.

IT
MAY NOT
MATTER RIGHT
NOW.

BUT I
WANTED YOU TO
KNOW --

-- I NEVER
INTENDED TO
INVOLVE YOU
IN ANY OF
THIS.

YOU'RE
RIGHT.

IT
DOESN'T
MATTER.

NOW
OR EVER.





NEIN.

I HAVE
YOUR
PRECIOUS
SHIELD.

AND
SOON.

VERY SOON.

I WILL
HAVE YOUR
BELOVED
COUNTRY.



HOWEVER.
I AM
WILLING TO
GIVE YOU A
CHANCE.

WHICH IS MORE THAN
THOSE TIRED, HUDDLED
MASSES YOU ONCE
INSPIRED WOULD
GIVE YOU.



THE AMERICA
YOU KNEW IS
DEAD.

THE MUCH
HERALDED
MELTING POT
IS LITTLE MORE
THAN A LOST
IDEAL.

NOT
UNLIKE
YOURSELF.

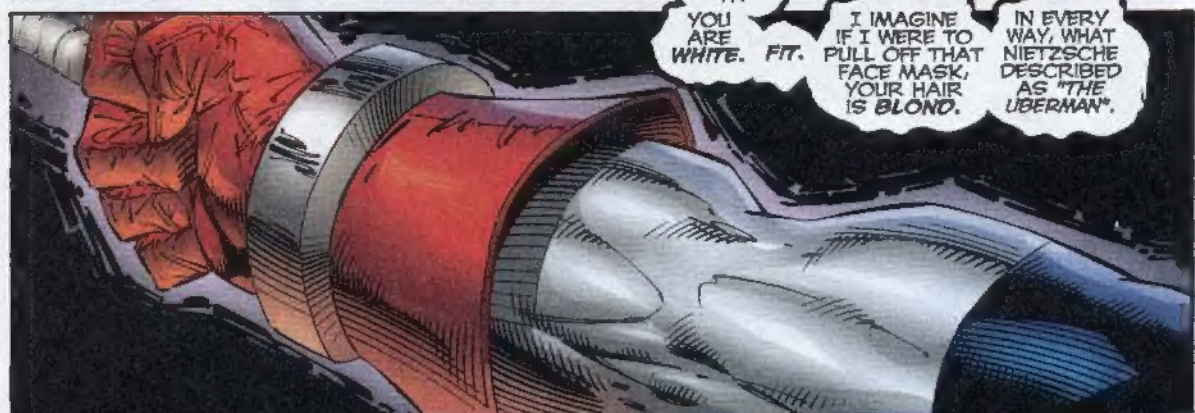
THINK
ABOUT
IT.

YOU
ARE
WHITE.

FIT.

I IMAGINE
IF I WERE TO
PULL OFF THAT
FACE MASK,
YOUR HAIR
IS **BLOND.**

IN EVERY
WAY, WHAT
NIETZSCHE
DESCRIBED
AS **"THE
UBERMAN".**



IN
EVERY
WAY, AN
ARYAN.

JOIN
ME.

AND
FULFILL
YOUR
DESTINY.



NEVER!

FOOL.

HARDLY

CROSSBONES.
KILL HIM.





I ADMIT
THAT TIMES
CHANGE.
AND
PEOPLE MAY
FEEL DIFFERENTLY
THAN THEY
ONCE DID.

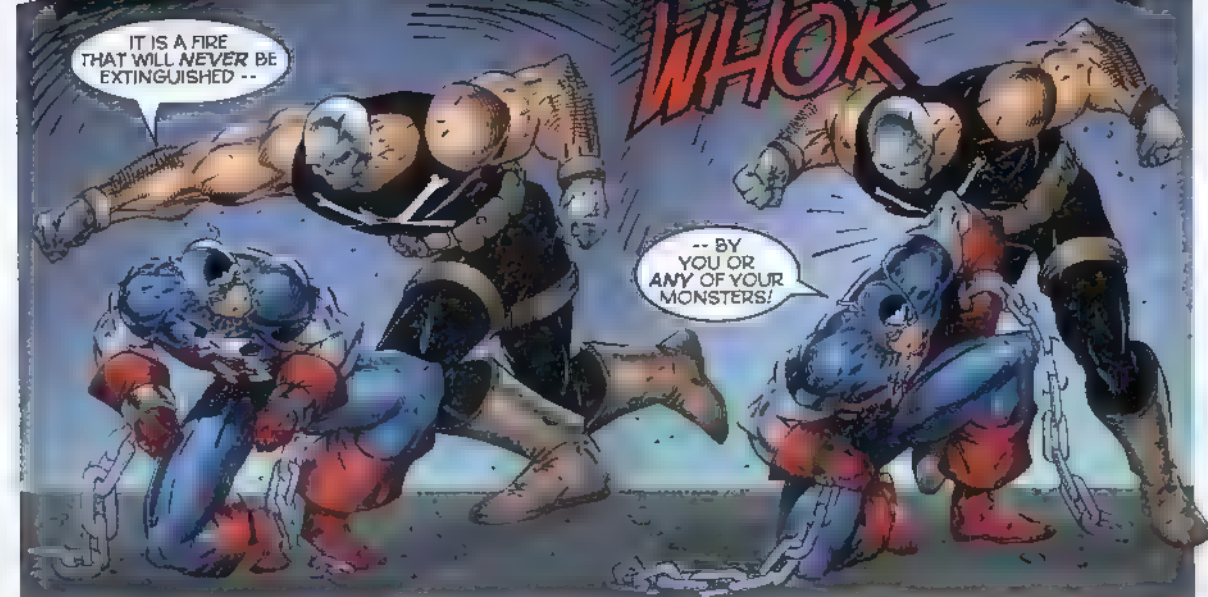
BUT,
THE BASIC
CONCEPTS OF
FREEDOM...

...THAT
ALL MEN
ARE CREATED
EQUAL.
AND THE
PURSUIT OF
LIBERTY.

ALL BURN AS
BRIGHTLY IN THE SOULS OF
AMERICANS AS THEY EVER DID.



WHOK



IT IS A FIRE
THAT WILL NEVER BE
EXTINGUISHED --

-- BY
YOU OR
ANY OF YOUR
MONSTERS!

THRASH

NOT AS
LONG AS MY
HEART IS
BEATING!

AND
NOW,
SKULL.

YOU HAVE
SOMETHING
THAT BELONGS
TO ME.

SHRAK

ARRGH!

ABE WILSON
TOLD ME, BEFORE
YOU HAD HIM
KILLED --

-- THAT
I WAS
NEEDED NOW,
MORE THAN
EVER.
IF YOU
AND YOUR ILK
ARE WHAT HE
FEARED,
SKULL --

-- I
WELCOME THE
CHALLENGE!

FAP

LIEUTENANT
WILSON.

KCHINK

CHANG

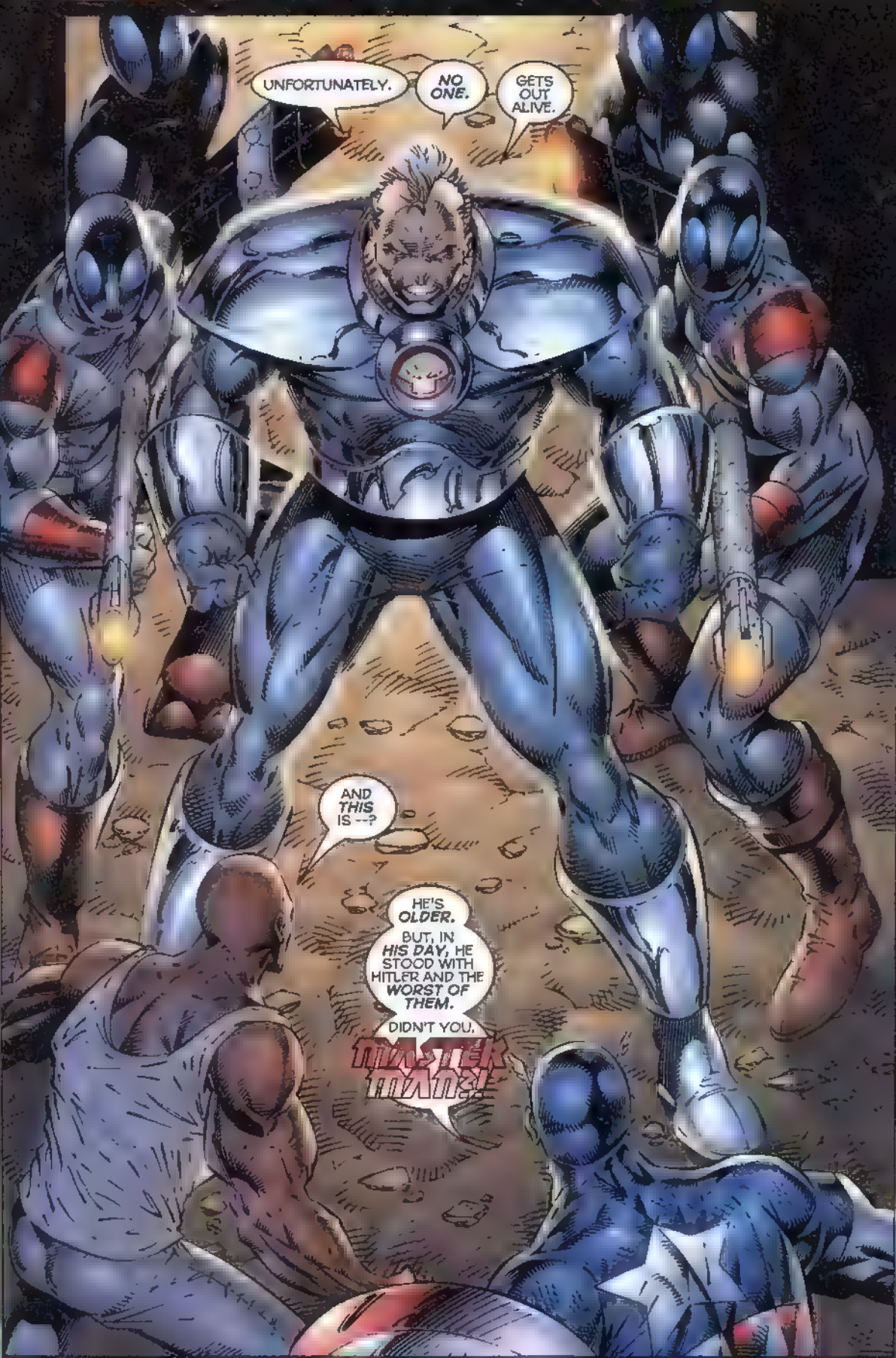
WE'RE
LEAVING.

OKAY.
I'M
IMPRESSED.

"FALCON."
PEOPLE
THAT... KNOW
ME, CALL ME
"FALCON."

WHAT?

OH.



UNFORTUNATELY.

NO ONE.

GETS OUT ALIVE.

AND THIS IS --?

HE'S OLDER.

BUT, IN HIS DAY, HE STOOD WITH HITLER AND THE WORST OF THEM.

DIDN'T YOU.

MASTER MAN!

"IN MY
DAY".
YOU
WILL LEARN,
AMERICAN --

-- THAT
MY DAY IS
NOW.

ALEXANDER.

SHOOT
THEM
DOWN.



HERR.
SCHMIDT.

WHEN I
SAID, "NO
ONE GETS OUT
ALIVE." --

-- I
INCLUDED
YOU.

YOU
DARE --!



I DO.

THE
WORLD PARTY
HAS GROWN
UNDER MY
LEADERSHIP,
SCHMIDT, NOT
YOURS.

MY
WILL ALONE
HAS BROUGHT
US THIS
FAR.

I, ALONE, HAVE
DONE WHAT WAS
NECESSARY.

LOCATING
THE
SHIELD.

ELIMINATING
THE OLD BLACK MAN
WHO FRUSTRATED
YOUR PAST
EFFORTS --

THEN,
YOU'RE
JUST THE GUY
I WANT A
PIECE OF!

REMARKABLE.
DID YOU
ACTUALLY
THINK I WOULD
LET YOU HARM
ME?

**TOOM
TOOM
TOOM**

NO!



SUDDENLY...

OUCH.



JERKS.

WHEN
I BUST
LOOSE --
-- I'M
GONNA
POUND YOU
SO FAR
DOWN --

YOU'RE
GONNA
HAVE TO
UNTIE YOUR SHOES
TO GO TO THE
BATHROOM!



SIL
DOORS
OPEN.

COMMENCING
NUCLEAR
LAUNCH.

NUCLEAR...

LAUNCH

DON'T
YA GET IT,
SIS?

THE
WORLD PARTY
ISN'T FOOLIN'
AROUND.
WE'RE
GONNA
CHANGE THE
PLANET.

OKAY,
YOU'VE MADE
YOUR POINT.

NOW,
CUT ME
FREE!

THIS
ISN'T FUNNY
ANYMORE!

COMMENCING
COUNTDOWN.

NEXT:
THE
END